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SHOOK DESTRUCTION P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868. ARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMIL' IVI BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT Hollywood Road, next door to the Horst

Hongkong, May-1, 1867.

Auctions

BOWRA & Co. will sell; by Public Auction, on SATURDAY 25th July, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on THE Undersigned has received inthe Premises No. 5, Queen's Road East | structions from the Trusters of (opposite the Naval Yard),-Sundry HOUSEHOLD FURNI- Auction, (if not previously disposed of TURE, comprising Chairs, Extension by private sale) on the 8th day of Au-

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Ground Brushess Line Brushes, Clothe Brushes, Slice And Bornbhing Brushes Horse Water and Spoke Brushes, and Sash Tools, etc., etc., etc.

2 House Boats. And any other goods that may offer. At 2 o'clock,-6 Iron Mangers.

1 Fire Engine. TERMS OF SALE - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, July 21, 1868. Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at THE Undersigned has received structions to sell by Public Auc-

FRIDAY,

the 24th July, 1868, at 12 o'clock, Mesers Shith, Archer & Co.'s godowns (For account of the concerned,) A L & R. 32 bales American 30

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M M in diamond, 3 bales American 40 yds. DRILLS.

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Auctioneer Hongkong, July 20, 1868. july29

PUBLIC AUCTION.

DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public

Gilt Frames, Richly Cut Glassware, Mar- All that piece of GROUND on Sha-Hongkong, July 21, 1868. 21ag ble Top Tables, Marble Top Sideboards, moen, Canton, known as DENT & Co. s a Marble Top Bar, suitable for an Hotel, Shameen Property, and consisting of a Patent Beer Engine, Dinner and Des. Lots 11 and 28 and the Western half sert Services, Silver Ware, Choice En of Lots 12 and 21, occupying an area gravings. of 37,935 square feet, together with the four room Bungalow erected on the

> The property is held under British Government Lease, and is subject to an balance. dnnual ground rent of fifteen thousand Copper Cash

RAY & Co. will sell by Public Auc. The Sale will take place at 3 P.M. at Mesers DENT & Co.'s offices on the Praya,

Hongkong.
TERMS OF SALE One half of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the Exchange business transacted.

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Auctioneer.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in structions from the Trustees of Desi de Co.'s Estate to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed by private sale) on the 5th day of September next the Property situated at the corner of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets on a

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Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

Structions from the Trustees of DENT Co.s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next

The BUILDINGS known as DEST Co. Honggong Phaya Property mea mring 298 feet in frontage, by 175 feet in depth, situated on Marine Lot Non 7 and consisting of the last state of the last sta

Om DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Witte containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of holding shout 8,000 Tons

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Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. These Buildings have only been erect-1 the Interest of the Wanger Stram All lots, with all faults and errors of ed two years and are built of Granite and

The whole of this Property to be sold

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For further particulars or details of plans, apply to

Old Broad Street, Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigne MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, June 10, 1868,

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Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on FRIDAY 24th July, at 9 a 12 on board until Moon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. ion the 28rd July. Fon particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & Q. S. N. Co.

OCCUPIENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ANS BEQUIERD. "A written declaration" of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Houte is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Phippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for diff detention!

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W. MACMULLAY Superintendent.



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ditional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

Steam Tugs

THE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foodhow, or to the Un-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

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Hongkong, October 13, 1866,

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The British steamer ahortly expected from Eng-land, will take cargo and passengers for Shanghai, Nagasaki and Yokohama, and will meet with immediate des-For Freight or Passage, apply to

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WINDWARD 784 Tons Register, O. H. RAR-RETT, Master, will have early lespatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY! The British Clipper Barque **CAPSINGMOUN,**
466 Tons Register, WATERSON,

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Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque

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gaged, will load at Whampon as above, and

FOR LONDON.

Hongkong, June 9, 1868. OR SALE FREIGHT OR CHARTER The Tahitian steamer "TITAUA."

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LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, July 22, 1868

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BUBA GEADSTONE Hongkong, July 21, 1868.



FOR SAN FRANCISCO The American Clipper Ship

Hongkong, July 8, 1868.

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"PEKIN."

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Arrivals.

July 22, Circe, H. C. M. steamer, 960.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

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Departures.

July 23, Hoogly, for Suez. 23; Nunanu, for Tientsin. 23. Hera, for Bangkok. 23, Avancale, for Foochow.

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Passengers.

ARRIVED. - Per United Service, Mesers Geo. F. Heard, Gibson and Capt. James. Per Ellora, Capt. and Mrs Gilson and family, Capt. McCulloch, and remainder officers and crew ex Bendres, Messrs Bourne Whitty, Goodall and servant, C. Hodges, Mr and Mrs Arroy and family, Miss Arnot, two Europeans and 23 Chinese. Per Circe, 5 officers.

Shipping Reports.

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A ANTED by a YOUNG GENTLEMAN, recently arrived, a situation, would accept anything not menial. Address "W. B. D." care of China Mail Office. Hougkong, July 20, 1868,

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TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17 All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall

of the hammer, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hougkong, July 11, 1868.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell Agents of the above Company for by Public Auction, in their Sales

FRIDAY, the 24th July, 1868, at Noon,-The following goods, viz. ;-100 reams Cream Laid Note Paper.

48 do. Superior Thin Quarto Post Patent Locks.

47 cases Geneva. 3 casks Spirits. I case assorted Wooden Pipes. 40 cases very superior Champagne.

3 Iron drums Turpentine. Stereoscopes, Split Key Rings, Sauce pans, Frying Pans, Pump Leather, Deck

Ground Brushes, Hair Brushes, Clothes Brushes, Shoe and Scrubbing Brushes, Horse, Water and Spoke Brushes, and holding about 1,000 Tons. Sash Tools, etc., etc., etc.

- 2 House Boats. And any other goods that may offer.

6 Iron Mangers. I Fire Engine. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery HE Undersigned having PURCHASED in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. the Interest of the WANCHI STEAM All lots, with all faults and errors of

At 2 o'clock,-

Hongkong, July 21, 1868.

THE Undersigned has received in-

FRIDAY,

Messrs Smith, Archer & Co.'s godowns, (For account of the concerned,)

vards JEANS, The above is under the Superintendence | L in diamond D, 2 bales American 40 yds, DRILLS. M in diamond, 3 bales American 40

vds. DRILLS. C& R in diamond) 2 bales American 40 yards L M H in circle, 6 bales American 40

Yards DRILLS. (More or less damaged by sea water.) TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, July 20, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

25th July, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on FRHE Undersigned has received inthe Premises No. 5, Queen's Road East | structions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public

of 37,935 square feet, together with the four-room Bungalow erected on the

jul 25 Government Lease, and is subject to an balance. annual ground rent of fifteen thousand Copper Cash. The Sale will take place at 3 P.M. at

Messra DENT & Co, a offices on the Praya, Hongkong. TERMS OF BALE.—One half of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the Exchange business transacted. An Invoice of very Handsome Japa- hammer and balance on completion of

> For further particulars, apply to W. N. MIDDLETON, Auctioneer. Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Property has a frontage of about A number of Scientific Works, and 97 feet in Wellington Street 76 feet on

mises at 3 P.M.

chase money to be paid on fall of the hammer and balance on completion o transfer. The Property to be at purchaser's risk on fall of the hammer.

W. N. MIDDLETON,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HK Undersigned have received in-& Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next.

on the Ground,-The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet

and consisting of One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st. Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c., with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of hold-

The Centre BUILDING known as Broom-heads, Short Tar Brushes, DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of

> One DWELLING HOUSE in the O Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons

These Buildings have only been crect-BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong- description, at Purchaser's risk on the Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, me third 2 months after sale and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Transfer expenses to be borne by the

plans, apply to Messrs BREMNER & LAYCOCK,

Old Broad Street, London, E.C., Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

DOLLARS. COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman, -GEORGE JOHN HELLAND, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR,

JULIUS MENKE, ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, ESQ.

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong, . Chief Manager. . DAVID MACLEAN, ESG. LONDON BANKERS, -London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate The property is held under British | of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily

> 11 6 ,, 4 per cent, ,, 11 , 12 , 5 per cent. , LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Drafts, granted on London, and the

VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, I, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed by private sale) on the 5th day of September next, the Property situated at the corner of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets on a portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and

known as DENT & Co.'s STABLES.

The Sale will take place on the Pre-TERMS OF SALE .-- One half of the pur-

For further particulars apply to

Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

2 New Iron Treasure Chests with in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7.

ing about 2,000 Tons.

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. ed two years and are built of Granite and

The whole of this Property to be sold

4, Austin Friars,

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Eso. WILLIAM LEMANN, JAN. P. DUNCANSON,

On Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per aunum.

STEAM FOR Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and | 150 tons of Cargo. Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on FRIDAY, 24th July, at 9 A.M.

CARGO and PARCELS will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 23rd July. For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Emption Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not holo themselves responsible for any detention or structions from the Trustees of DENT | prejudice which may happen from incorrect Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. H. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK TEAMERS of this line will be despatched as follows :-Great Republic, on or about Aug. 10. Great Republic, ,, Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on about same dates, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamers.

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to lingland or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction

either in one or more lots to suit pur- 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued For further particulars or details of for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet

Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in-American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

Steam Tugs.

Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

THE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEL 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be avail able to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Undersigned.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCI COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P.

Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

THIS Powerful TUC is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour. For particulars, apply to the Captain on B board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aquilar Street, Hongkong.

NOMINAL

With disconnecting Engines.

Secretary. Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

Shipping. The British steamer shortly expected from Eng-

sengers for Shanghai, Nagasaki and Yokohama, and will meet with immediate des-For Freight or Passage, apply to

land, will take cargo and pas-

THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, July 13, 1868. FOR YOKOHAMA (direct.)

Captain Didier, will leave for the above Port, on the 3rd "COLUMBIAN," Captain Curling, with AUGUST next, and has Room for about

The A 1 French ship

For Freight or Passage, apply to, LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, July 22, 1868

FOR MELBOURNE, The A 1 British brig "ELLA GLADSTONE," Captain Wolfe, will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, July 21, 1868. FOR SALE. The British schooner as she now lies at anchor in the Harbour of Hongkong, with Masts, Sails, Rigging, &c. complete. Carrying capacity about 5000 piculs. For full particulars, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Sugar Refinery, East Point. Hongkong, July 13, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Clipper Ship 784 Tons Register, C. H. BAR-RETT, Master, will have early despatch for the above Port.

WAHEE & Co.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1868. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The British Clipper Barque "CAPSINGMOON," 466 Tons Register, WATERSON, Master, will have early despatch for the above Ports.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO The A 1 Amer. Olipper-ship "RICHARD S. ELY," 1,100 tons Register, LOMBARD Master, will have quick des-

For Freight, apply to

For Freight, apply to

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque "PEKIN," SEYMOUR, Master, will have quick desputch as above.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1868. FOR LONDON: The A I British barone THORNE, Master, having the gaged, will load at Whampon as above, and

OR SALE FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The Tahitian steamer Capt. CLARK of about 1000 tons Capacity.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, May 21, 1868.

For further particulars, apply to,

Notices to Consignces. "LUCIE," FROM HAVRE, ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the aboveunamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves. sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'

LANDSTEIN & Co.

BIRLEY & Co.

"LODORE," FROM CALCUTTA. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods:
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees'

Hongkong, July 22, 1868.

Hougkong, July 17, 1868.

risk and expense.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. 531 1 Case Paper.

Ex " Donnai," 8th June. NC 120 122 3 cases Sweetmeats JOHN S. LAPRAIK, C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, July 4, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steam-ship "HOOGLY," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 1st of July next or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

O. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hougkong, June 27, 1868.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s STR. "COLORADO FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

ONSIGNEES of targo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo not called for within 24 hours after the arrival will be landed and stored at risk and expense of Consignoes. GEO. F. BOWMAN

Hongkong, July 7, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. CALEB T. SMITH in our Firm, ceased, by his retirement, on 31st December, 1867. SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. MR. GEORGE CRICHTON is authorised to sign for us by procuration. THE BURNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS SMITH in our Firm ceased on 81st December, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr CHARLES WILSON MURRAY, Mr ARTHUR SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYKE. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 16, 1868. THIS SEASON'S FLUWER, VEGETABLE and GRASS SEEDS have arrived. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1868.

NOTICE. TE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr | Built of GHANITE. FERDINAND NISSEN in our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. The Business will in future be conducted under the Style and Firm of RUBERTSON & Co.

which Mr PETER GARAIN has been admitted a Partner. NISSEN & ROBERTSON Ningpo, May 9, 1868.

NOTICE R. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from RUSSELL & Co. Chins, February 15, 1868.

A R BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD Was admitted a Partner in our Firm on 1st January, 1868. J. McDONALD & Co.,

NOTICE

AIR, HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE | &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work. VI is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration; at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

1 Y Business, as Ship and Insurance VI Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co. J. S. HOOK.

Hongkong, September 23, 1867. NOTICE HAVE established myself at this port a

General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of Girrord F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER, Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. MR FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINEICH Hoppics have been authorized to sign our Firm here and in China from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date, Captain J. Saukt LEE will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING,

Marine Surveyor. Foothow, August 1, 1867. NOTICE

CATITHE reference to the above. business hitherto carried on H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foodhow will conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

HAVE established myself from this date as Shipelandler and General Storekeeper under the Firm and Style of L. FRICKEL & Co.. at the Premises, lately occupied by Mesers DE SILVER & Co., Queen's Road Central. LEULULD FRICKEL Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HE OFFICE of the Undersigned has been Agra Bank, Queen's Road. LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, June 30, 1868. NOTICE. JUSTEB and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDUN DAVITS.

2 Club Chambers.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE: HE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of Messrs Thos. Hunt & Co. eases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE. 1.1R RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date Mr George J BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this 8. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

AR. R. A. H. TOLLIUS GLUZENHAMP being from this date interested in our Firm, will sign the same per procuration. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

I'HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ELDRED HALTON in our Firm coased on the 30th June last, and Mr JAMES PEN-DER DUNCANSON was admitted a Partner on the 1st July. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Dock .

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED,

Hongkong, January 11, 1866. 1-a-w

CAPITAL. -\$750,000. IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH

HE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABEI DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for he Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premises submitted for the information of the

ABERDEEN DOCK DOCK No.

Built of GRANITE. Length, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 182 Neap Tides, 16 NEW DOOK, No. 2

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 Neap Tides, 21, This Dook is now under course of con-

WHAMPOA DOCKS

Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 16 a 1 Neap Tides, 13 a 15, This can be used either as one or two

DOCK B. Built of GRANITE. Denth of Water at Spring Tides, 18: Neap Tides, 15 The above are the largest Docks in China and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps

DOOK C Built of Wood. Length Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14. Neap Tides, 11

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps. DOOK D. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6

Neap Tides, 9.6

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 Neap Tides, D, and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS. The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampos, possess ever appliance necessary for the Repairs of Shipe or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c. apable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work entirely carried on under the Supervision of

experienced Europeans. Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 fee water and take in or out boilers, masta, &c.

BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT The company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY. Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, areexecuted with the utmost despatch.

STORES The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the Parlor. necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint. Copper, Canvas, &c., &c.

STEAM TUG. The Company's powerful bleam Tug Fame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow Sailing Vessels from Aug! Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced

Rates.
For further particulars, apply at the Removed to the late premises of the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong. JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

Secretary. N. B .- The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work HAVE this day established myself as a done in the Docks, or in any way respectin PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT. AVERAGE AD- the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, October 19, 1866,

Docks.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks at Whampon are in good working order and are pumped out by Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machine works. Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of which masts and hoilers can be taken out

Their Hongkong establishment comprises STILL & Co. also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machine works and possesses a pair of lifting

Cheir Granite Dock at Kowloon most advantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any Vessel coming to this harbour, will be completed in a very short time The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN is always in readiness to tow Vessels to Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new

berth, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superintendence of experienced European foremen. For particulars, apply at the office of the Company, Queen's Road, JOHN INGLIS,

Acting Secretary: N.B .- Consigners or Masters of Yessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate attention of the Directors. Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

insurances.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY (Established 1st January, 1863. CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARE FOR TLS. 1,000 BACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000 or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman, (Messrs Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq. (Messra W. R. ADAMSON & Co.) MICHIE, Esq.

(Mesers Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, ESQ. (Messrs GILMAN & Co.) F. POLTER, End.

(Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. Ta General Diceting held on Tuesday A the 12th day of May, 1868, the fol lowing Resolutious were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868. Applications for Shares from Persons not

esident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH.

Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

Form of Application for Shares. To the Provisional Committee of the North

OHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

GENTLEMEN hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to ; and

agrae to pay the first call of Tis. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so. Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North China Insurance Company shall be formed for a further period of three years, from lat January, 1869 to 31st Dec.

Rea. Il. - That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to orga-RES. III. - That this meeting recommends

that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that he capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; Paid up Capital, Tin. 300,000 or Tis. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue a prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment. ... 3100

Houses and Lands.

W large Rooms, suitable for Offices, First Floor of our Premises at Peddar's Wharf.

The Whole, or One Half, of the Sepond Floor, with Bed Rooms, Dining Room and THOS. HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, July 15, 1868. TO LET.

THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formorly

occupied by Messra Annhold, Kar-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March. Apply to

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO LET. FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hook & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-HE Company respectfully beg to call the | chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB, S. WALKER & Co.

> TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent, \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

Hongkong, March 12, 1868. TO LET. THE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road formerly occupied by Messrs Lyan

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, June 15, 1868.

TO LET. THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messis Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. TO BE LET. I'WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

GAVIN THOMPSON, at Gibb. Livin inton & Co.'s. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET. COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in Morrison Hill; commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c. Apply to THOMAS WALLAUE.

East Point Godowns

Hongkong, June 6, 1868. NOTICE

TO LET. 'HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's I Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank. For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, May 18, 1868. TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-It tuated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road, Apply to MR. BARRINGTON

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. MRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwelling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. whole in a thorough state of repair.

Wyndham Street.

Measra WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM. HE Undersigned is prepared to STORE Opium in a first class Granite Godown premises situated on Praya Central. CHARLES RIVINGTON 3. Stanley Street. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

TO LET. HE Large Matched No. 3, at Pokefulum, containing five rooms with out houses and Stables attached. Water laid. For particulars, apply to H. PESTONJEE SETNA

at Mesers P. A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office Hougkong, June 2, 1868. New Advertisements.

GREAT WORLD CIRCUS. LAST NIGHTS. Friday, 24th July, 1868.

EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTION All this Mammoth Troups of Artistes will appear in new Equestrian, Acrobatic, and Gymnastic Acts.

And for the first time here THE GRAND Hippodramatic Spectacle (Founded on Facts) Turpin's Ride to York.

Dath of Black Bess Embracing the entire strength of the Company, the Highly Trained Stud of Horses, also introduced for the first time.

The Equine Wonder, BLACK BESS.

DICK TURPIN,..... Mr R. TAYLOR TOM KING, Mr H. WITTER. Characters by the rest of the Company. All the new great Star Troupe in ner cones in the Circle.

LADIES unaccompanied by Gentlemen are not admitted to the First Class.

PRICES OF ADMISSION. First Class. Second Class Seats Third Class,. Children half-price. Performance to commence at 9 o'clock orecisely.

Hongkong, July 23, 1868. LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY'S CHINESE CHAPEL,

QUEBN'S BOAD & JERVOIS STREET. HIS place of worship, after being closed | A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS for more than a year, has now been almost entirely re-built. It is proposed to te open the edifice, by an English service on Saturday afternoon, 25th instant, commencing at 4 o'clock. All friends of the missionary work are invited to assemble to join in prayer for the blessing of God on the preaching of the

gospel to the heathen of this Colony. Hongkong, July 23, 1868. HOBSUN & Co. DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING.

AND GENERAL BROKERS AND AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, KOBE, HIOGO, JAPAN,

New Advertisemets.

NEWSPAPER BUSINESS FOR SALE.

THE Undersigned have received in structions from the Proprieter (who is compelled to give up business on account of ill health) to sell the Copyright of the "FRIEND OF CHINA," along with the Printing Establishment ar Office Furniture.

Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, it will be put up to Auction on the

18th August next, at their Sales Rooms, Keang Se Road, Shanghai. Specimens of the Type can be seen, and further particulars obtained on application to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Shanghai.

And. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong Hongkong, July 23, 1868. aug 18

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S.

will leave for the above places on Sunday, the 26th instant, at 7 A.M. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 23, 1868,

- 8 I N G SAIL MAKER. Endicott Lane. No. 46, UPSTAIRS. English and American Canvas of the best

Brands constantly on Hand Hongkong, July 13, 1868. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that the RE-IN GISTERS of SHARES of the COR-PORATION will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 30th day of July current (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

hief Manager. Hongkong, July 10, 1868.

KRESSER

GARDNER & Co., CALIFORNIA: WINE DEPOT.

FOR SALE PIPES SHERRY, Vintage 1860 50 PIPES SHERRY, Vintage 1860, 1865 5 pipes BRANDY, 15 years old. 100 cases WHITE WINE. 100 cases PORT

25 cases ANGELICA. These Wines are guaranteed to be perfeetly pure and free from adulteration, and are carefully selected from the most popular brands of California Wines. Also for Sale,

10 barrels No. 1 Eastern Salt BEEF

2,500 OAT MEAL, in 10lbs. Bags. 50 cases No. 1 Bernard's Old Tom GIN, 12 years old. Hongkong, July 15, 1868, THEATRE COMIQUE THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN DRA

MATIO CORPS, will abortly arrive

and give a few Representations in Hong-For Particulars see Bills. Hongkong, 9th July, 1868. CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE

QUEEN'S ROAD. Opposite H. M. Naval Yard. HEISTOU ADELPHOI Af EET on the first day of the week at 11 A.M., for the breaking of Bread and of Prayers, Acts. 2-42. And at 4 P.M., to reason out of the Scriptures, if those things (concerning the Kingdom of God and the name of Jesus anointed) are so. Acts 8-

Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

assorted summer Stock of

WANTED TONNAGE to Swatow and Amoy for Two Hundred to Three Hundred Tons of Dead Weight to Swatow and Four Hundred Tons to Amoy. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

SAYLE & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE

INVITE inspection of their New and well

Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS. Naval and Military CLOTHS. Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.

Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fanoy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SCARFS in great variety. The new shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Sill and Wool SHIRTS.

PAJAMAS. Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS. HOSIERY of all kinds.

Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in Various Shapes. Household LINENS of every description.

French Printed CAMBRICS. Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy Silk GAUZES. Grenadines and other New Fabrica Embroidered, Printed and Made-up SKIRTS. CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES

of the Latest Patterna.

and LACE of all descriptions. Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING.

Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, A C. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS. Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

New Advertisements.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at Hongkong, Canton and Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw attention to \$65-68 and \$127-141 of the "Allgemeine See Versicherungs Bedingungen von 1867," according to which all documents to substantiate claims against the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must be certified by the Agents, or they will not

be recognized. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

SEA BATHING. ADIES and GENTLEMEN visiting Macao and desirous of comfortable SEA BATHING, the undersigned been leave to inform them, that Two first class Bathing Machines, fitted with every necessary convenience etc., are at their disposal. Situate at the West End Praya Grande.

1 Season Ticket for Family, \$20.00 1 Single Do. for 1 month, 5.00 Single Bathers, 25 cents each, or 5 Tickets per dollar.

Payment to be made at the House before WM. GARDNER,

Macso Hotel, June 8, 1868. AVITE CIGARS and CHE. ROOTS of best quality. Havana CIGARS in boxes of 50 and 100 each, from \$5 to \$30 per 100. Hamburg and Bremen CIGARS

in great variety. 15 different kinds of Russian CIGARETTOS. Fresh Birdseye, Shag, Latakia Turkey and Havana TOBACCO and Smoking Mixture, Honey dew, Goldbars, Harn's fine Cut

For Sale by BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

Killikinik, &c.

July 22, Goeland, for Saigon.

LATEST SHIPPING.

July 22, Pupleic, French steamer, 900, Noel, Shanghai, July 18, General, -MEs. SAGERIES IMPERIALES. **DEPARTURE**

CLEARED. United Service, for Canton. Waverley, for Auckland. Mystic Belle, for Manila. Yung-hai-an, for Singapore and Bombay.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. - Per Dupleic. - Mile. Coni Messra Couil, Tschi-chi, M. Stahl and wife, M. Lijeune, Weon Pols Broot, Mme. Pascal, Mr Joseph Berger, Messrs Millot, E. Laidricht, Longman, Van Hamme, Forgelle Passengers per French Mail Steamer

For Saigon .- Messra Baudrais, d'Aiguebelle, Stahl and wife, and 23 Chinese. For Suez. -Mr Payot. For Murseilles, -Messre Garlardo, Antonio Parela, Jean Choury Gimes Aumous, Fogores, P. Cardons, Alvarez, E. Badeus, Leon Roches, Weon Pols Broot, Joseph Berger, Millot, Laidricht, Longman, Van Hamme, Forgelle Jean, Mme. Pascal, and Mile. Conil.

List of passengers, per S. S. Columbian,

For Southampton. - Messrs John Pittis

on 24th July:

James, and Lieut, J. R. W. Quin. For Marseilles. - Messrs. John Fraser, W. White, Marcus Daly, Walter, and For ringapore - Messrs. Whitty and For Bombay. -Mr. Ritchie.

Second Class and Deck.

For Southampton. - Capt. Brown. For Melbourne. - Mr James Brown. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS AILS WILL CLOSE :-For SHANGHAL .-

24th instant, at 3 P.M. For SINGAPURE & BOMBAY, __ Per "YUNG-HAI-AN," To-morrow, the 24th instant, at 1 P.M. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per "AZOF," on Sunday, the 26th instant, at 6 A.M.

Per "SUWONADA," on Friday, the

IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated. the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-onnce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve.

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory. F. W. MITCHELL, Pustmaster General

General Post Office.

Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Shanghai, Per Suwmada, on Friday, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M. For Singapore and Bombay, -Per Yung-Hai-An, To-morrow, the 24th instant, at

For Swatow, Amoy and Foodhow. -- Per

Azof, on Sunday, the 26th inst., at 7 A.M. List of Cargo per French mail steamer Hoogly, on 23rd July :--Yokohama to Marseilles. 67 bales. Shangbai to do. Yokohama to London, Shanghai to do. 3054

Cargo per mail steamer Columbian :-SILK. Bales. Casts.

For England, For Marseilles. For Bombay, Treasure, about 1 Lakh of dollars.

Hongkong, 23rd July, 1868. OPIUM. --Patna, New, ... \$627 Benares, New, Malwa, ...

COTTON, -BOMBAY, CALOUTTA. Exchange.

Bank, 6 months' sight, On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 228 non Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 226 a 2 Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tis. Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 103 noni. Gold Bar, 98 touch. English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns,

New, 4c. 4 p. c. Union Dock Shares, ... 18 p. c. dist. Temperature.

H. & W. poa dock, Old, 15 per cent

H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 23 per cent

New, 7 per cent

Hongkong, 23rd July, 1868. 29.974 Attached Thermometer. Dry Bulb. 001 010 010 78.0 Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., ... 760 Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... 740 Previous | Rainon Grou., 0.98 24hours, | ,, above, ... 0.96 Wind, Force.

NOTICE. I \URING the temporary absence of Undersigned, the General Business the Office will be conducted by MR. N C. A. SAINT

> No. IX. or PAPERS ON CHINA is now ready.

China Muil, N. C. Daily News, Supre

Court and Consular Gazette, N. C. Hera

containing interesting extracts from

Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

following papers :-

Rangoon Gazette, Evening Express, Shangh Recorder, and Straits Times. Hongkong, July 17, 1868. THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JULY 23, 186 LOCAL WE observe with pleasure that the Circ will be opened again to-morrow night,

a few farewell performances, when

amusing pantomimic farce of Dick Turp Ride will be presented, with other attra

THE PIRACY ORDINANCE. Inspector Daly, the pirate hunter, already commenced to prosecute masters junks who have not disarmed, according Ordinance. A junk-master and his cre were charged yesterday with having had number of muskets and hand grenades (stink-pots) on board their junk, contrary the third and fourth sections of the Ord nauce. Mr Deane informed the Court ti due notification in Chinese had been give The master was fined \$20, and sent to ha labor for 14 days; while the crew were ra fined \$1 besides 4 days' hard labor. supposed that forfeiture of the junk apparel will not be strictly enforced by G

vernment for the first offence.

PRIVATE letters from Hiogo are not cheerful in tone upon tradal matters. could be wished. Our correspondent und date the 6th instant, says;-" Business f the last mouth has been at a stand-still he owing to the rainy season, which stops cor munication with Osaca. . . The rain season here, which has already lasted t weeks, has put a stopper on business. whole place is like a swamp, and we cann move about. The natives say that a f yorable change will take place in about to days. What with wars, rumors of war floods, do., there is no business in th I shall give it a fair trial durin this half-year, and if affairs do not improv sell off my stock and return to Hongkon Japan will some day be a great country but I fear not in our time. When afful are more satisfactory uere I will again it ward you correspondence for the Chir

The North China Herald concludes an ar cle on the ten trade with the following set tence:- "We fear, howev.r, that as long the buying continues to be spread over large an area, no radical change will made, although until such a change is mad a return to a steady and safe trade cann be hoped for. Apart from the consider tions offered above, the concentration markets is the only remedy; and were Ha kow closed to-morrow, and the Yangt steamers run alone on Chinese account, or present lamentations would rapidly giv place to confident auguries of a happing future-for tea-

THE P. M. S. S. Great Republic returns

from Yokoska yesterday (10th) having ba

her shaft fitted, which was found to wor

admirably, the bearings being quite co-

between San Francisco, Japan and Chiua. WE have received the following Hydre graphical notice from Shanghai, No. 4 d 1868]:-On and after the 18th day of July 1868, the Lightship moored at the entranc of the Yang teze-kiang, will exhibit, be tween the hours of Sunset and Sunrise, Red Revolving Lig't" at intervals o twenty seconds. The light is 38 feet above the level of the Sea, and is visible 12 mile from a Ship's deck of 16 feet elevation.

A Gun is fired from her to attract atten Mon, when a ship is observed running jut

during the time of her steaming up th Gulf, and engines working very smoothly She leaves about the 27th instant for House kong to resume her place on the mail lin

The Light Vessel is painted Red, has on Mast surmounted with a Ball.

Notices to Consignees.

ONSIGNMES of Cargo per Company's

/ Steam-ship "HOOGLY," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 1st of July next, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

O. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

P. M. S. S. Co. B STR. "COLORADO FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo not called for within 24 hours after

the arrival will be landed and stored at risk and expense of Consignees. GEO. F. BOWMAN.

Hongkong, July 7, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. · CALEB T. SMITH in our Firm, ceased, hy his retirement, on 31st December, 1867, SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. R. GEORGE CRICHTON is authorised to sign for us by procuration. THE BURNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

NOTICE. MHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st December, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr CHARLES WILSON MURRAY, Mr ARTHUS SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYRE.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

THIS Season's FLUWER, VEGETABLE and GRASS SEEDS have arrived. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 16, 1868.

NOTICE. ATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date, DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. FIRE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FREDINAND NIBSEN in our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. The Business will in future be conducted under the Style and Firm of ROBERTSON & Co.

in which Mr PETEE GABAIN has been l admitted a Partner. NISSEN & ROBERTSON. Ningpo, May 9, 1868.

NOTICE. R. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date. RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 15, 1868. NOTICE AR BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD was admitted a Partner in our Firm

on 1st January, 1868. J. McDONALD & Co., Hougkong, May 1, 1868.

AR, HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE Vi is authorised to sign our Firm per producation, at Foodhow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

1 Y Business, as Ship and Insurance VI Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S HOOK, SON & Co.

J. S. HOOK. Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. AR FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINRICE Hoppits have been authorized to sign our Firm here and in China from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, May 12, 1868. NOTIOE. IROM and after this date, Captain J. (SAUND LES will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port.

H. J. DRING, Marine Surveyor. Foodlow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE. reference to the above, the H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned.

J. C. SAUNDERS Pagoda Anchorage

Poochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself from this date as Shipchandler and General Storekeeper under the Firm and Style of L. FRICKEL & Co., at the Premises, lately occupied by Mesers DE SILVER & Co., Queen's Road Central. LEOF OLD FRICKEL.

Hongkong, July 1, 1808. NOTICE. HE OFFICE of the Undersigned has been Removed to the late premises of the

Agra Bank, Queen's Road. LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 30, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. O. LANGDON DAVIES. 2 Club Chambers. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE: HE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of Messre Thus. HUNT & Co. ceases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE. 1. R RYLE HOLME has been admitted I a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

AR. R. A. H. TOLLIUS GLOZENBAMP, VI being from this date interested in our Firm, will sigh the same per procuration, REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ELDRED HALTON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last, and Mr JAMES PEN-DER DUNCANSON was admitted a Partner on the 1st July. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1866.

Dock .. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL -\$750,000. IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH

HE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for he Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premise is submitted for the information of the

ABERDEEN DOCK.

Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, - 184 ,, Neap Tides, 16

NEW DOCK, No. 2. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 ,, Neap Tides, 211, This Dook is now under course of con-

> WHAMPOA DOCKS DOOK A.

Built of GRANITE, Length, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 16 a 17, Neap Tides, 13 a 15,,

Built of GRANITE. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18.,, The above are the largest Docks in Chins and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, Aze., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C. Built of Wood. 260 feet. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14. Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOOK D. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6 ... Neap Tides,

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 ... Nean Tides. D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS. The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampon, possess appliance necessary for the Repairs of Shipe or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screw. ing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c -capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work

entirely carried on under the Supervision o experienced Europeans. Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 fee water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT The company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supply ing new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ship or general purposes, arcexecuted with the utmost despatch.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c., &c.

STEAM TUG. The Company's powerful Bleam Tug Fame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow Spiling Vessels from Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sen at reduced

For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkoug. JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

N. B .- The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respectin the Dock arrangements, should uddress the Becretary on the subject-when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, October 19, 1866,

Docks.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

and Masters of Vessels to their establish- nite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ments at Whampon and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks at Whampoa are in good working order and are pumped out by Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machine works. Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of which masts; and boilers can be taken out of Vessols.

Their Hongkong establishment comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machine works and possesses a pair of lifting

Cheir Granite Dock at Kowloon most advantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any Vessel coming to this harbour, will be completed in a very short time. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN always in readiness to tow Vessels to Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new berth, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superintendence of experienced European foremen.

JOHN INGLIS. Acting Secretary. N.B.—Consigners or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate attenion of the Directors. Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

For particulars, apply at the office of the

Company, Queen's Road.

insurances.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. (Established 1st January, 1863. CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES, FOR TLE. 1,000 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000 or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman, (Messrs Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq.

(Messra W. R. Adamson & Co.) А. Міонів, Ева. (Messes Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messrs GILMAN & Co.)

F. POLTER, Esq. (Messra Gibs, Livingston & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. T a General Directing held on Tuesday. A the 12th day of May, 1868, the fol lowing Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the lat January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868.

Applications for Shares from Persons not resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied hy a Power of Attorney to their Agents to nion the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, sparate Office of the Company will be pened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors,

JOHN S. MACKINTOSH Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

Form of Application for Shares, To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH

CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. GENTLEMEN. hereby request that you will allot number you may allot to and

Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so. Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North China Insurance Company shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec ..

Rgs. II.—That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to orga-

RES. III. - That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that he capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Sheres of Tls. 1,000 each; Paid up Capital, Tis. 300,000 or Tis. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotnient. 3100

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. PRICES OF ADMISSION. W large Rooms, suitable for Offices. First Class. on First Floor of our Premises at Second Class Seats, Peddar's Wharf. Third Class... Children half-price. The Whole, or One Half, of the Second

Floor, with Bed Rooms, Dining Room and Parlor. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messes ARNHOLD, KAR-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns.

Possession to be had on the 1st March Apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO LET FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hook & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-HE Company respectfully beg to call the chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive attention of Ship Owners, Consignees | the same on STORAGE in First-class Gra-ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

> TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent, Apply at the Victoria Foundry.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

Hongkong, March 12, 1868. TO LET. HE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road formerly occupied by Messra LYALL

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, June 15, 1868.

TO LET: I'HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messys Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

TO BE LET. PWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

GAVIN THOMPSON at GIBB, LIVIN ISTON & Co.'s. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET. COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in 1 Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c. Apply to THOMAS WALLAUE

East Point Godowns. Hongkong, June 6, 1868. NOTICE.

TO LET. 'HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank.

For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-It tuated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road, Apply to MR. BARRINGTON. Wundham Street. Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

LIRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwelling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. whole in a thorough state of repair. Apply to

Mesera WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM. HE Undersigned is prepared to STORE Opium in a first class Granite Godown n premises situated on Praya Contral. CHARLES RIVINGTON 3. Stanley Street.

Hongkong, June 9, 1868. HE Large Matslied No. 3, at Pokefulum, · containing five rooms with out-houses

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New Advertisements

GREAT WORLD CIRCUS.

LAST NIGHTS Friday, 24th July, 1868.

EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTION. All this Mammoth Troupe of Artistes will appear in new Equestrian, Acrobatic, and Gymnastic Acts. And for the first time here

THE GRAND Hippodramatic Spectacle (Founded on Facts)

Turpin's Ride to York, Death of Black Bess. Embracing the entire strength of the the Highly Trained Stud of

Horses, also introduced for the first time.

The Equine Wonder,

DICK TURPIN, Mr R. TAYLOR. TOM KING, Mr H. WITTER, Characters by the rest of the Company. All the new great Star Troupe in new cones in the Circle.

LADIES unaccompanied by Gentlemen are not admitted to the First Class.

Performance to commence at 9 o'clock precisely. Hongkong, July 23, 1868.

LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY'S OHINESE CHAPEL, QUEEN'S BOAD OF JERVOIS STREET, HIS place of worship, after being closed for more than a year, has now been almost entirely re-built. It is proposed to te open the edifice, by an English service on Saturday afternoon, 25th instant, coln-

meneing at 4 o'clock. All friends of the missionary work are invited to assemble to join in prayer for the bleasing of God on the preaching of the gospel to the heathen of this Colony,

ROBSON & Co., DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL BROKERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

KOBE, HIUGO, JAPAN,

New Advertisemets.

NEWSPAPER BUSINESS FOR SALE.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Proprieter (who is compelled to give up business on account of ill health) to sell the Copyright of the "FRIEND OF CHINA," along with the Printing Establishment an Office Furniture.

Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, it will be put up to Auction on the

18th August next, at their Sales Rooms, Keang Se Road, Shanghai. Specimens of the Type can be seen, and further particulars obtained on application to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Shanghai.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong Hongkong, July 23, 1868.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. "AZOF," will leave for the above places on Sunday, the 26th instant, at 7 A.M.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 23, 1868,

- SING SAIL MAKER, Endicott Lane, No. 46, UPSTAIRS. English and American Canvas of the best Brands constantly on Hand:

Hongkong, July 13, 1868. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION. A OTICE is hereby given that the RE-N GISTERS of SHARES of the COR-PORATION will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 30th day of July current (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

V. KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, July 10, 1868.

GARDNER & Co.,

CALIFORNIA WINE DEPOT. FOR SALE, O PIPES SHERRY, Vintage 1860. OU 10 pipes WHITE WINE , 1865. 5 pipes BRANDY, 15 years old. 100 cases WHITE WINE. 100 cases PORT

25 cases ANGELICA. These Wines are guaranteed to be perfeetly pure and free from adulteration, and are carefully selected from the most popular brands of California Wines.

Also for Sale. 10 barrels No. 1 Eastern Salt BEE 2,500 OAT MEAL, in 10lbs. Bags. 50 cases No. 1 Bernard's Old Tom GIN; 12 years old. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

THEATRE COMIQUE THE GREAT AUSTRALIAN DRA-MATIO CORPS, will shortly arrive and give a few Representations in Hong-

For Particulars see Bills. Hongkong, 9th July, 1868. CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE

QUEEN'S ROAD, Opposite H. M. Naval Yard. (OHEISTOU ADELPHOL) LEET on the first day of the week at 11 A.M., for the breaking of Bread and of Prayers, Acts. 2-42. And at 4 P.M., to reason out of the Scriptures, if those things (concerning the Kingdom of God and the name of Jesus anointed) are so. Acts 8-

Rongkong, June 27, 1868.

WANTED. ONNAGE to Swatow and Amov for Two Hundred to Three Hundred Tons of Dead Weight to Swatow and Four Hundred Tons to Amoy, ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

SAYLE & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE. INVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of

Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS. Naval and Military CLOTHS. Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS. Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SCARFS in great variety The new hapes in Geutlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS. PAJAMAS.

Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS. HOSIERY of all kinds. Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in

Various Shapes.

Household LINENS of every description. A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns. French Printed CAMBRICS. Black GLACES, Plain and Kancy Silk GAUZES. Grenadines and other New Fabrica Embroidered, Printed and Made-up

CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES and LACE; of all descriptions. Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-

CLOTHING, Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, A C. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS. Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

New Advertisements.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at Hongkong, Canton and Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw attention to \$65-68' and \$127-141 of the "Allgemeine See Versicherungs Bedingungen von 1867," according to which all documents to substantiate claims against the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must be certified by the Agents, or they will not be recognized.

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

SEA BATHING. ADIES and GENTLEMEN visiting Macao and desirous of comfortable SEA BATHING, the undersigned begs leave to inform them, that Two first class Bathing Machines, fitted with every necessary convenience etc., are at their disposal, Situate at the West End Praya Grande.

1 Season Ticket for Family, \$20.00 1 Single Do. for 1 month, 5.00 Single Bathers, 25 cents each, or 5 Tickets per dollar. Payment to be made at the House before

WM. GARDNER. Macao Hotel, June 8, 1868,

AVITE CIGARS and OHE. ROOTS of best quality. Havana CIGARS in boxes of 50 and 100 each, from \$5 to \$30

Hamburg and Bremen CIGARS in great variety. 15 different kinds of Russian CIGARETTOS. Fresh Birdseye, Shag, Latakia

dew, Goldbars, Harn's fine Cut Killikinik, &c. For Sale by BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE

Turkey and Havana TOBACCO

and Smoking Mixture, Honey-

LATEST SHIPPING.

July 22. Itupleic, French steamer, 900. Noel, Shanghai, July 18, General, -MEs. SAGERIES IMPERIALES.

DEPARTURE : July 22, Goeland, for Saigon. CLEARED. United Service, for Canton.

Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

Waverley, for Auckland, Mystic Belle, for Manila. Yung-hai-an, for Singapore and Bombay. PASSENGERS ARRIVED. - Per Dupleix, -Mile. Conil. Messra Conil, Tschi-chl, M. Stahl and wife

M. Lijeune, Weon Pols Broot, Mine. Pas-

cal, Mr Joseph Berger, Messrs Millot, E. Laidricht, Longman, Van Hanime, Forgelle Passengers per French Mail Steamer For Saigon .- Messrs Baudrais, d'Aiguebelle, Stabl and wife, and 28 Chinese. For Suez -Mr Payot. For Marsvilles, -Mesers Garlardo, Antonio Parela, Jean Choury, Gimes Aumous, Fogores, P. Cardons, Al varez, E. Badeus, Leon Roches, Weon Pols

Broot, Joseph Berger, Millot, Laidricht, Longman, Van Hamme, Forgelle Jean, Mme. Pascal, and Mlle. Conil. List of passengers, per S. S. Columbian. on 24th July: For Southampton. Messrs John Pittis, ames, and Lieut. J. R. W. Quin

For Marseilles. Messrs. John Fraser, W. White, Marcus Daly, Walter, and For ringapore. - Messrs. Whitty and For Bombay. -Mr. Ritchie.

Second Class and Deck.

For Melbourne. - Mr James Brown. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS IAILS WILL CLOSE :-For SHANGHAL,-

For Southampton.—Capt. Brown.

Per "SUWONADA," on Friday, the 24th instant, at 3 P.M. For SINGAPORE & BOMBAY,-Per "YUNG-HAI-AN," To-morrow, the 24th instant, at I P.M. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per "AZOF," on Sunday, the 26th instant, at 6 A.M.

IT is hereby notified that, under the pro-I visions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-onnce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

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For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in

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For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. - Per

Cargo per mail steamer Columbian :-SILK.

Bales, Cases. For England, For Marseilles. For Bombay. .10 -Treasure, about 1 Lakh of dollars.

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No. 1602 - July 23, 1868

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CALOUTTA, ...

Bank, 6 months' sight, On Calcutts, 3 days' sight, Rs. 228 uon Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 226 a 2. Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 103 nom. Gold Leaf. Gold Bar, 98 touch, English Sovereigns, ... 4.57 Australian Sovereigns, . H. & W. poa dock, Old, 15 per cent

New, 4c. 42 p. c. Union Dock Shares, ... 18 p. c. dist. Temperature.

H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 23 per cent

New, 7 per cent

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THE CHINA MAIL.

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Temperature.

Hongkong, 23rd July, 1868.

Anatralian Sovereigns,

Barometer. ...

Maximum S. Rgr.,

Max. Sun's Rays,

Attached Thermometer.

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Harbor Master's Office. Shanghai, 14th July, 1868.

THE TYPHOON.

A Typhoon took place in the neighbourhood of Shanghai on the 18th instant. The the forecastle. At 1 A.M. same day Barometer indicated 29.59, with every appearance of bad weather, and a very heavy sea running. At 1.30 A.M. hove the steamer to. At 3 A.M. steamed slowly ahead; at 4 A.M. Bar. 29.55; at 5 A.M. close into Island Video, and at 6 A.M. bore up for an anchorage. At 8 A.M. Bar. 29.52 and sea and wind increasing. At 9.30 A.M. anchored on the N. side of

Taeshan Island. mendous force till midnight, when it mo-

land. Rates of Barometer :-10.30 A.M. Bar. 29.48 Wind E. by N. 1.00 P.M. N. by E NN.W.

Sunday July 19, the Bar, rising fast: During the Typhoon lost an anchor, and ten fathoms chain, as well as the stock of the bower anchor. At noon steamed out the Bay and proceeded. Off Fisherman' Group saw the steamers Erl King and Ganges, bound up, and Dupleic bound down During the remainder of the passage fine weather and light S. W. monsoon. 22nd at 7.20 A.M. spoke the barque Neptune. of Jersey, from Swatow, Captain dead wished to be reported.

REPORT OF P. AND O. S. S. " ELLORA." Left Shanghai at 9.25 a.m., on 18th July with fresh Easterly breeze and much rain. Passed the American barque Mand Eden. ashore on Dry North Bank. At 2 p.m. anchored to Southward of Dry North Bank, wind having increased to a heavy gale; barometer fal ing rapidly, and every appear ance of a typhuon coming on. The French mail steamer Dupleis andlored below the Ellora at 2.15 p.m. At 11 p.m. the gale at its height, blowing a harricane at times wind veering to Northward, barometer 28.98; moderating in the morning; had much difficulty in recovering the anchors did not succeed in doing so until noon. 12.30 p.m. left for Hongkong. Weather, fresh Southerly breeze, with much head sea From Gutzlaff to Pih-ki-shan, experienced fresh head winds and sea. Thence to Brojunks who have not disarmed, according to thers, moderate S. W. winds and fine From Brothers to East Ninepin, were charged yesterday, with having had a N W. breeze and squally with rain. number of muskets and hand granades (or rived in Hougkong at 6.45 a.m., on 23rd stink-pots) on board their junk, contrary to | On 19th off Bonham, passed the P. & (the third and fourth sections of the Ordi- S. S. Ganges with outward mail; off Kwing nauce. Mr Deane informed the Court that | passed an American gun-boat and the I 2nd was in company with the British steamer United Service bound to Hongkong

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JAPAN.

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From Japan we have news of renewed hostilities between Stotsbashi's late followers and the Mikado's troops, it would seem against the wish of the former. her shaft fitted, which was found to work | Stotsbashi bimself is reported to have admirably, the bearings being quite cool accopted the terms of reconciliation offered during the time of her steaming up the him; but his friends object to them and to Gulf, and engines working very smoothly. his return to Yedo under these conditions. one leaves about the 27th instant for Hong- The Government troops expelled the recalhong to resume her place on the mail line citrants by force, after a sharp struggle. The Imperialists are about to occupy Nes-

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smong the merchants." The Light Vessel is painted Red, has one From Osaka we learn that the Japanese The Japan Times has the following :-

pleasure the news of the recall to power of his country with the Mikado, the ex-Sho- kado. all, France, or America, or that strong and Italian Representatives to their substop the Mikado and Sir Harry-and will not allow the head of the Tokugawa family to accept the terms offered by his master. Thus they try to prevent his return to Yedo, which they attempt to occupy themselves. But the southern party have among them some who have learned this muc from the schools—that two particles matter cannot occupy the s me space at the same time and as they want Yoshihisa Yedo, they have proceeded to turn out I friends. This operation was commenced Saturday July 4th and was conducted in this wise. In a part of Yedo, almost the remotest from the foreign legations, which are, so to speak at our end of the town, a cometery of the Shogoons called the Cour-This is situated on a rising ground defended on the right flank by a small lake and approachable only, as is the case with most Japanese temples or sacred places, by long straight roads. The place is thus naturally strong and being moated and surrounded by sufficient walls, is easily defensible by a determined garrison. And the determined garrison was there. For th Coy no is in the very centre of a district filled by the discontented, disbanded hata motos (lesser retainers) and soldiery of the Tokugawa family. These made the Ooyeno their head quarters, whence they have for some weeks been in the habit of ing forth in small parties and materially harassing the Southern nominal garrison This will not seem anomalous the Landon mind, if it substitutes for the Doyeno Norwood or Highgate hill, and ima es the main points of the capital to be held by a garrison not sufficiently strong protect all the suburbs. Reinforcement raving arrived, however, it was determined to attack this position and a complete victory has been the result. The Tokugawa men fought like demi-gods, and aided by the strength of their position and a batter of three guns they had in the Ooyeno which commanded the main approach to the place held their own through a summer's day But artillery was brought up ou the other side on the following morning—the 5th-

with every indication of a typhoon; anchor- ally swept out of Yedo and no man dare harbour one on pain of death. . We (Nagasaki Times) hear that Captain Roper, of the gunboat Commodore, barometer commenced to rise, but still blow- | patented an improved serew propeller, and ng with terrific squalls till after daylight experimented on it in Nagasaki harbour when it gradually settled to steady breeze with the steam launch of H. M.S. Sylvia, in and clear weather; by our observation the the presence of the engineers of the fleet. course of the typhoon was from S.S.E. to It is said to be a complete success, an aver-N.N.W., the vortex passing about I a.m., age increased speed of 1 92 being obtained. bearing E. N. E. about 150 miles, at which The principle of the patent consists of two me the barometer showed the lowest, viz. screws on the same shaft, one inside and 29.01. At 8.45 a.m., got under weigh and the other outside of the rudder. This plan proceeded, had moderate Southerly winds seems to have an advantage over the twin and fine weather to Breaker Point, from screws, as the same engine drives them and thence light variable airs and rain: arrived: no extra boiler power or machinery is reat Hougkong on 22nd July, at 6.30 p.m. required. The screws being set at right The P: & O. steamer Ellora, with the Eng- angles, there is more continual hold in the lish mail, left Shanghai on 18th July, at | water, consequently less slip. We wish

and the Ooyeno was successfully stormed

The moral resu't of this victory of the

Southerners is immeuse. They are, for the

tuation that men are even afraid to bury

the dead Tokugawa men, whose bodies are

allowed to lie the prey of the wild

time being, so completely master of the si-

The Express gives the following addition-By the Cadiz we have Yokohama dates to both ashore and affoat by the Typhoon and been less and less hopeful. He had seen Company were great sufferers. Their sheds were blown down bodily, a total wreck," not a stick left standing. The Colorado, too, had a portion of her upper | Service at Canton July 1st, 1859. Mr Albion's bows were scraped by the barque of office, exhibited the warment interest Italy, her figure head knock off and bow- the welfare of the Service. His death boats made a harvest by keeping up the his kindred, by his friends, and by the public. communication between Yokohama and Kanagawa sides.

Dr. Willis has assumed the duties of British Vice-Consul, to which he was promoted at the close of last year. The new Theatre was opened on the

evening of the 30th June. The U. S. Gun-boat Maumee, Capt, Cushing, arrived from Hongkong on the 1st instant, and the U. S. Store-ship Onward left for San Francisco on the 5th.

New York and one for London. The Japanese Government have notified Government has made every reparation are in future to be considered illegal, and if in Chili and has full powers of a Dictator in the world," she exclaimed. "He tkins

and Ocaka Herald says :- Business is not so The native Christians at Nagasaki have, | to Pekin, and also that the authorities at of the course that should be steered, is then flourishing as could be desired, and the it seems, at last been sentenced to suffer the Capital are taking steps to condemn only thing that this can be attributed to, death, and a body of about 150 of them Li-Hung-Chung for leaving his post without is the unsettled state of affairs in the were, on the night of the 10th instant, hur- suppressing the Nienfei Rebellion. Bell" (worked by clock-work) is set going, Japanese Cabinet joined to the limited ried on board the steamer Sir Harry Parkes - It has been decided by the Chinese austriking every sixteen seconds, and can be confidence native merchants seem to place to be taken out to sea and there drowned. there is to convey the usual rice tribute, heard in calm weather at a distance of two in foreigners and the Government now in Some fifty more, chiefly women, were to this Autumn, to Peking, via Tientsin, in make Chinese scholarship the crucial test the troubles which sooner or later must the same fate. Directly they heard what was A rumour has gained considerable curren-United Service :- Left Shanghai on Friday to market rates. Three or four weeks ago, ones on board the Sir Harry Parkes, was is at bottom of it. the 17th, at 11 A.M. At 5.37 P.M. abreast of while fighting was going on and even at the to be held on Saturday the 11th inst. Surely Chun, the Magistrate at the Mixed Court, breeze, and very heavy Sea. On 18th at 0.30 no demand whatever was made for arms some means or other, be able to bring it the appointment of Yeh, Che-Haien, to the A.M. Beehive Rock bearing E. about half a and the mere fact of enquiries being made within the scope of their duties to prevent post of Hai-fang-Ting, is to be appointed for that article, now that we are led to sup- such atrocities as these. The Jesuits, we lung-Chi, and will, therefore, continue to pose that peace has been established, shows believe, claim some forty thousand converts act in his former capacity. that there is something in contemplation in Japan ; if the slaughter has once com- We hear upon good authority that the menced where will it end ? Are the whole China Branches of the Agra and Masterof these converts to be sacrificed to the fury man's Bank will in all probability be again In our last we announced with great of their Heathen rulers?

Dates from Hiogo and Osaka extend to Yoshihisa ('Stotsbashi) the ex-Shogoon. the 6th instant. Owing to heavy floods

naval power, Prussia, or his important new lifects to proceed to Neegata for trade, but ally Denmark, will not throw him over-or | Sir Harry Parkes has prohibited British that some deus ex machina will interfere to subjects from doing the same, till affairs in Japan assume a more settled aspect.

CHINA

(N. C. Herald,) It is currently reported at Soochow, the Li-hung-chang, disgusted at the treatmen he has lately met with, intends to throw up office and retire into private life as soon as his campaign against the northern Robels has ended. But another strange rumour that Liu-ming-chuen, one of his favourite generals who has lately retired from commaud, to Anhwey, which is also Li's native province, is said to have summoned his division to join him at the end of the cur rent month. What he can want 20,000 men for in the heart of Anwhey it is difficult

Some further particulars regarding the track of the late French expedition from Cambodia, have been published English expedition from Rangoon to Yunnan is progressing, but has met with much difficulty, and does not promise to result in much commercial advantage.

The Ningpo Fives Court was opened or Tuesday, in the presence of a majority of the community. The Gymnasium is no quite finished, but is expected to be so in v

At Chefoo further preparations are being made to push forward the working of the mines. The principle is a wise one, to work them first and ask permission after-

The new steamer Hongaue, built by M P. Roberts, made a successful trial trip on the 13th instant. She is to be employed on the Yang-tzse, by Messra Olyphant & Co. Two amusing notifications have been issued by the Shanghai Chin-hien, inculcating female propriety. One of them strongly recalls a recent utterance by the Pope, on the same subject of ladies' dress. After a brief period of decay, Chinkeans breatens to rise like a phoenix from its

ashes. We have already spoken of its carconiferous wealth. We now learn that, amoug some minerals which Dr Macgowan iron in its composition. Borrowdale graphite-Cumberland-which is the best in use, contains four per cent. of iron. In light, remains to be seen. We hope these treasures will not, through a want of wis- the experienced builders of the South. dom on their part, prove to be a calamitous.

March last Mr FitzRoy's health had been good, but latterly he has been gradually been discovered. weaker, and since his departure for Japan the 11th instant. Much damage was done the news transmitted to his friends has floods of 27th to 29th June. The P.M. S. much work in various climates, and had never spared himself in the discharge of his duties. He was appointed Commissioner of Customs in His Imperial Majesty's gallery and one of her saloon cabins stove | FitzRoy bas since served in our midst and, in and a boat or two crushed. The str. | throughout the whole period of his tenure sprit broken. Many other minor accidents makes a gap which it will not be easy to happened to the shipping. The bridge at fill, and his memory as a high-minded Chris-Nungi was swept away bodily and ferry tian gentleman will be cherished alike by

We huderstand that Dr Barton has been appointed additional medical attendant to the Customs establishment. conjunction with Dr. Galle who, hitherto, had the sole charge.

(8. O. and Consular Gazette) During the past week, there has been scarcely a single occurrence of importance to note in Shanghai, and the news from the Chefoo gold fields are likely to be worked. There are four vessels on the berth for two foreigners having made arrangments have not any news from the North of a the Consuls that contracts with Native definite nature; but it does not appear that merchants, under which advances are made affairs are becoming more secure. The and which, as they are seldom carried out neral of high standing and reputation by tion remains open. by the Japanese parties to them, cause great name Too-Sing-Qua, has been appointed trouble to the Authorities in judging them, to the position of generalissimo of the forces the punishment of death without referring and skims the bottom."

(Shanghai News Letter.)

The object of the late expedition of the Some have adapted to this, Hotspur's scepti- communication between the two ports was steamer China to Corea was simply and plaincal habit of thought with respect to Glen- entirely suspended. Numbers of Japanese ly to obtain provisionary treaties for the benedwyr's boasted power to call spirits from the had been killed through the capsizing of fit of all foreign powers who chose to avail During this time the wind blew with tre- vasty deep, and Yoshibisa-or rather Yoshi- native boats crossing the bar. The editor themselves of the same, also to bring back hisa's friends—seem to be giving them un- of the Hiogo and Oaka Herald has, under an embassy which would have had full

The history of this Corean Mystery, as told by the numerous witnesses, goes to prove that "truth is stranger than fiction." The scene is laid in an entirely new country,

the plot or action of the piece is original, stalk across the stage and gather at night around the sarcophagus of a dead Potentate or Prince in Corea. The inevitable Yankee appears in the dim distance brooding over Treaties of peace and amity, while the followers of the prophet, with a galvanic battery of four spades, are trying to raise the slumbering Corea into a living certainty for the benefit of themselves and "the rest of

We hear that considerable feeling has been manifested relative to the erection the Jetty opposite Messis. Russell & Co.'s and that a protest against this action of the Council in granting the permission, as being in excess of their authority, will be circulated for signature.

We are informed upon good authority ing to England during the present year. It is not stated whether be intends to resign ois office, or whether, as is not improbable. may return home for a time with the object of "assisting" in the revision of the tionality having treaties with China into Treaties. If he adheres at home to the the Customs service. The complaint has principles which he has advocated out here, ne will certainly be of more service to the

The new Chih-Hsien of Shanghai has arrived and taken office. His name is variously given as Niu, a cow, and Chu, a pig; seuted in exact proportion to its interest in the difference of pronunciation making it China—that is, to its import and export difficult to say which from rumour. Anylow, it seems to be something in the animal

We are informed that Tsiang, the late Governor of Canton, who on recently leaving was presented by the people with is, we are convinced, as contrary to the several red umbrellas, in token of their regard, has been promoted to the Governor-

(Evening Express.) Our brokers are in a somewhat excited lately analysed for the Taoutai, is a very state to-day, over fluctuations in the Lead as men who have worked up under one syspure specimen of graphite, transmitted market, caused chiefly by extensive orders tem find that prize which seemed within from Chinklang by Mr Sands, American sent down by Li, Footai, who it would their grasp given suddenly to another with-Consul at that port. The Chinkiang gra- appear is in pressing want of bullets for out prior claims of semiority or merit, so phite is as valuable as that of Brazil, being his operations against the Rebels. Seven almost pure carbon, having but a trace of tuels per picul has already been reached, and still the tendency is upwards.

As regards the Hongque, the steamor just builtat Shanghai, for an ocean going vesselno- it. The salaries in the lower grades are some years the net produce of the six weeks thingthat has been ever turned out of Shang- fairly liberal, and its higher prizes are annual working of that mine, has amount hai can surpass her. Her artistic design re- worth attaining. But men will not devote ed to £40,000. How far the Government flects credit on her owner, who is both her their lives to the pursuit of an object which of China will be able to protect the mine- builder and architect, and this being the first may be at any moment withdrawn, from ral wealth which foreigners are bringing to vessel of the kind built at Shanghai, we take their grasp, by the whim of an irresponsible credit in showing that we are not behind

during a heavy fall of rain, some ten men From Nagasaki we learn with great re- broke into the Nunnery called Dring-suh-an, day, when ill health or long service may gret the death of Mr FitzRoy, late Com- near the west gate of Shanghai. After compel resignation. But it is not worth missioner of Customs at Shanghai. The breaking in the door they succeeded in car- while entering a service which does not news will be received by the service and by rying off about 200 dollars worth of proper even offer a pension, if no amount of the community as a calamity. During the ty, belonging to the Nuns. The maitre de faithful service can ensure to the toiler the time of his residence in the settlement, Mr cuisine of the establishment, hearing their just fruit of his labour. The case of the FitzRoy had won the regard of the resi- entry, made a great noise, as only China- men who saw their fellow labourers who dents of all nationalities. His patient at- men can do on such occasions. The robbers, had toiled only one hour, get the same retention and habitual courtesy towards all not thinking it quits safe to leave him ward as they who had worked twelve, was lose with whom he was brought into offi- power to bellow, took measures to stop it, irritating enough. But if those latter had cial contact, and his general kindliness to- and attacked him with knives, giving him received two pence instead of the historical wards those who knew him more intimate- some half dozen cuts, and leaving him in an penny, their seniors would have had realy, will not easily be forgotten. Up to unpleasant condition. They then made off son, indeed, for their complaint. with their booty, and no trace of them has

A new building for purposes of amusement has been opened at Shanghai. The "Albambra," as it is called, is quite suitable for the purpose for which it is intended. well lighted and ventilated and sufficiently capacious. The formal inauguration of the Music Hall, forms, we think, a noticeable epoch in the social era of this settlement Mesers Kroes & Go.'s line of Steamers from Shanghai to Nagasaki and Hiogo, has, we hear, been strengthened by the purchase of the Steamer Mona, which is intended run in turn with the Bee-loong and Osaka The latter steamer will, it is said, lie up for a time for necessary repairs, as soon as the Mona takes her place on the line.

the Emperor, and will be opened during the on't, Granny!" International Maritime Exhibition about Miss Buchanan, once fallying her cousin, to be held in that city. It is a vast circle, an officer, on his courage, said, "Now Mr. outports has been of little moment. The larger than the bull-ring in Madrid, and Harry, do you really mean to tell me that will, it is said, afford accommodation for you can walk up to a cannon's mouth with-14,000 spectators. Some of the most cele- out fear?" "Yes," was the prompt reply, to enter upon operations. Beyond this we brated Spanish bull-fighters have been "or a Buchanan's either." And he did it. retained, and a supply of vicious bulls has A PERSON being seated at a table between been contracted for. The first bull fight two tailors, said, "How prettily I am fixed will be in about a month's time, and will between two tailors;" upon which one of for Silk, Cocoons, and Silk-worm's Eggs, Shanghai Recorder states that a Tartar Ge- be repeated at intervals as long as the exhi-

The following is Aunt Betay's description | than one goose between them. of her milkman :- "He is the meanest man . WHERE ARE THE RED HOT PINCERS !-

THE CUSTOMS INSPECTORATE. (N. C. Herald.)

When alluding, recently, to Mr Hart's

waning popularity in the Customs service.

of advancement. But we overlooked anburst out. It is, however, probable, that in contemplation the Foreign Consuls joint- cy among the Chinese, that arrangements Simultaneously with a determination that after the rainy season is over and we have ly addressed a stirring remonstrance to the are being completed for obtaining the assis- his subordinates shall learn the Chinese a few fair days that the produce of the Governor, urging him to rescind such a tance of Europeans in the six Government language, he has conceived a desire that country, such as Silk, Tea, Wax, &c., &c., oruel order, but the only reply they re- boards at Pekin. Mr. Hart's lengthened all nations of the earth shall be represented will be brought down, when trade, if not ceived was a recommendation to mind their stay at the Capital is not improbably the in their ranks. The misfortune is that, in resumed with activity will at all events be own business. Another meeting of the origin of this statement; but although it both cases, he is carrying to an absurd and better than ithe general depression now Consular body for the discussion of this may indicate that some improvements of unjust extent a wise and right principle. experienced. It is a matter of difficulty in matter, though too late to do anything tofollowing is the report of the Steam-ship these times to come to any conclusion as wards effecting the safety of the doomed dently an exaggeration upon whatever fact Government should be required to learn the language of its aubjects, with whom time of the rumoured approach of Aidzu, the authorities of Christian nations will, by who it was rumoured has been degraded on justice lies in giving this rule retrospective effect-in overlooking some and degrading others who entered the service under different auspices. Similarly, the Inspector General is right in aiming to render the service cosmopolitan; it is right that it should comprise subjects of every Power having a treaty with China. But it is very wrong that established claims should be overlooked in applying this principle; that a junior of any nationality should be given precedence over a senior who happens not to have been born in the particular latitude which has come up for its turn of patronderated for a short time and then veered to reasonably good reason. For, encouraged by instructions of his principals of the Japan powers to conclude separate and binding mans, Daues, Swiss, and Russians into the the apparent disunion among the Foreign Re- Herald, at Yokohama, made a public apo- treaties with any such Government, the service, Mr Hart would do well to ignore presentatives, none of whom have imitated logy for some articles he wrote on the re- United States of course included. —[| low ex- the distinctive nationality of either, and to our own in utterly committing himself and cent visit of Sir Harry Parkes to the Mi- ceedingly kind of the worthy innocents who select the best men for the best places by goon's friends persist in believing that after Sanction has been given by the Prussian The same journal says in its leading co- We regret that the lists of rank do not show this principle to have been always acted on; but that anxiety to give these lists an appearance of impartial national selection has led, in more than one case, to the neglect of weighty claims and to the promotion of men who and the characters are grotesque to a degree. were as much astonished as their compeers, Priests and Prussians, with armed retainers by their own elevation. The latest instance of the kind is the appointment of Mr Rennell to be Harbour Master at Shanghai We would not, for a moment, be understood to oppose that gentleman personally On the contrary, he may be, no doubt is very competent to fill his new post. But by what process of reasoning Mr Hart succeeds in discovering any superior claim on his part, to the exclusion of Mr Crosd who has been so long attached to the department here, we do fail to discover. Mit Croad has, if we remember rightly, been nearly five years in the service; he has been several times in charge of the Harbour Master's office during that officer's absence, and has commanded the esteem of those with whom his duties have brought him in contact. He is a zealous, competent and deserving officer. Yet he is now thrust aside, to make room for a new comer into the service. . We repeat that we applaud Mr Hart's

> and of introducing members of every nabeen made, with fairness, that Englishmer had until lately monopolised too many of Chinese than their paid Minister, Mr Bur- the prizes it affords; and it is right that inequality in this respect should be remedied. A strictly logical arrangement would be that each nationality should be repretrade with this country. But it is grievously unfair, in introducing this principle, to violently override the individual claims of men who have long served under another regime. That this should be done wish of the different Governments and of their representatives, as it is to justice and wisdom. We use the latter word advisedly. For, so long as old hands are subject to causeless displacement, so long long the unsettled dissatisfied feeling which now pervades the Customs service will continue. And the inevitable result will be deterioration in the class of men who enter through the various grades, towards an

theory of compelling the study of Chinese,

Head. It is worth while plodding upwards About 9 o'clock on the evening of the 14th appointment which will enable the occupant to provide for the proverbial rainy

> PAESIELLO's opera of it The Barber of Seville," composed in 1779, has been revived no the Fantaisies Paristennes, Paris; Rossini's brilliant work on the same subject, written fifty-two years ago, having justly extinguished the memory of the elder maeter's opera. - Musical Standard.

"I THINK I have seen you before, sir, Are you not Owen Smith?" I'm owin' Smith, and owin' Jones, and owin' Brown, and owin' everybody. An old Scotch lady was engaged in teaching her little granddaughter that most per-

feet of all supplications—the Lord's Prayer. The pious grandmother gravely and slowly rehearsed the short, simple sentences so well known to us all, and the child repeated them after her very demurely until the old THE sport of bull-fighting is about to b. lady came to the words-"Give us this day introduced into the north of France. A our daily bread;" when the child looked huge circus for that purpose has been suddenly up into her face, and earnestly erected at Havre, by special permission of added the naive request—"Ay, an butter

business they could not afford to keep more

A Gun is fired from her to attract attent demanded by the French, for the murder unfulfilled no notice will be taken by the conferred upon him, being able to inflict the murder unfulfilled no notice will be taken by the punishment of death without referring and skims the bottom." When a person drowns himself at a waterascribed ?-To the feel o' de sea!

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Hongkong, June 20, 1868. GREAT REDUCTION.

OPPOSITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE. N and after July 1st next, our Price for CARTES DE VISITE will be educed to \$3 per dozen, for Cash Only. Small profits and quick returns a Cheap article is not necessarily Bad. FLOYD & Co. Hongkoug, June 22, 1868.

FORMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG AS on hand a large Stock of COAL of II best quality, and is prepared to suptf ply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the same under Contract, at Hongkong and any Treaty Port in China

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Agents. Kilung, April 2, 1868.

PORTRAITS 1 R. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

NOTICE, DENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with It punctuality and despatch, Distraint WARHANTS for Bent 18.

SUED and EXECUTED, Security, if required. THOS. W. BARRINGTON. 53, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

THE Members of the late Hongkung Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to re-LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on tain pending sanction for their purchase, the Shortest Notice.

H. COHEN. Hongkong, March 13, 1867.

intimations.

Hongkong Lightering and Storage Co.

HE above Company is now prepared to LAND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE Goods in first class Granite Godowns at noderate Rates. J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.,

Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE IOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company are requested to send them to the gents of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares and the stock dividend added, ending the issue of New Share Certificates. ROWLEY MILLER, tain old sores can be removed by it that Secretary & Auditor. cannot be conquered by any other treat-Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

> SALLORS' HOME, WEST POINT. Trustess.

The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., JOHN DENT, | G. THOMBETT, Esq. WARREN DELANO, Jr. Esq.

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Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman, THOS. SUTHERLAND, H. G. THOMSETT, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Esq.

CONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, do, will be most thankfully received. Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties of Superintendent from this date, to whom or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home" should be applied for. Hougkong, September 21, 1866.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

The Colonial Secretary. The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq. GEO. HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-Mr Young, House Surgeon,

W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer. TERMS OF ADMISSION-1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 (2 Bedsinea. (Public Wards),

These Charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised All orders for Admission to Hospital must

be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having een expended: 1st Class......\$60.

2nd , \$40. \$20. W. PATERSON, Treasurer. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

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1 1 to 2 P.M. Dinner at 7 P.M. N.B.—The Public Bar will be open Saturday, the 7th instant. CHAS, S. DUGGAN,

Manayer. Hongkong, March 6, 1868, HONGKONG HOTEL

HAIR DRESSING SALOON.

W. P. MOORE ETURNS his sincere thanks to the pub-It lie in general for their generous patronage of late, and feels quite proud that his humble efforts are so highly appreciated. He is ready to serve any gentlemen who may feel the necessity of having any tonsorial operations performed. Particular attention paid to betting Ra-

Hongkong, May 27, 1868.

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1) ERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find t at the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES, Proprietor.

Breakfast. Refreshments provided at all hours. Regular Daily Mess at \$30 per month,

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Hongkong, May 4, 1868. JOHN THOMPSON & Co., TYISPENSING & ANALYTICAL

CHEMISTS SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS.

Ships' Medicine Chests supplied and refitted. INTERNATIONAL DISPENSABY. 23, Wellington Street; Hongkong, Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

Intimations.

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KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS)

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFITTED.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867

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Mare & Mores. General & Commission Agents NAGASAKI.

> EASTLACK & WINN, Surgeon Dentists. HONGKONG & SHANGHAL

> > For Sale.

FOR SALE. Ex " COLORADO." DICKLED MACKEREL in Kits. SALMON Dried Beef TONGUES. Fresh BUTTER in 5lb. Tine at 60c. per

New California CHEESE, by the pound, Salad DRESSING in bottles. Eastern and California HAMS. Fine HOMINY in 10lb. Tins. California WINES and BITTERS California BRANDY and Boker's BIT-

THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, July 15, 1862.

FOR SALE. THE following WINES, &c., of superior quality in lots to suit purchasers :--Eugene Olicquot dry OHAMPAGNE in Pints and Quarts. Sillery Mousseux, CHAMPAGNE. Carte Noire. A. de Luze & Fils OLARETS, Pints and Quarts. Villanyi CLARET, Quarts.

CHABLIS. BURGUNDY. Liebfrauenmilch. Josephdorfer Ausstich, HOCK. Rudesheimer Fleur de Moselle. Superior Old PORT in 1 dozen cases. Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and 3 dozen cases.

Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints. Barclay's STOUT, Quarts and Pints. Honnessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases. A. de Luze & File Brandy in 1 dozen Apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868. FOR SALE. MUNTZ'S YELLOW METAL 20 to 28

IVL oz and Nails. Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex "FUSIYAMA," CHAMPAGNE CABINET. BLANCHE in qts. \$18 per dozen ; in pts.

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COCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLLTELE, is For Sale at Mesers LANE, CHAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$5.00. Hongkoug, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

FOR SALE. DRINTING PAPER HE3SE & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

FOR SALE. En " Maiden Queen," & late Arrivals: 200 fthms. 4 in. Galvanized WIRE ROPE Bass' PALE ALE, in Quarts and Pints.

Tennente' Barclays' and Guinness' STOUT, in Pints and Quarta. White Mackintosh WATERPROOF COATS, in Silk and Cotton.

BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, June 24, 1868. FROM FRENCH MAIL " HOOGLY." Small Invoice of ROQUEFORT

CHEESE. Apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, June 29, 1868.

FOR SALE. DEST Keelung COAL D Apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868. FOR SALE

PAIR of STUD BRED MARES, the A property of a Gentleman who can be referred to. Apply to E. MITCHELL, East Hongkong, June 24, 1868,

For Sale

FOR SALE,—TO ARRIVE. ,000 BARRELS FLOUR in Sacks. 200 Cases Coal OIL. 10,000 Colt's REVOLVERS, Army and

GARDNER & Co., 20, Queen's Road. Opposite Hongkong Hotel.

Hongkong, July 15, 1868. JUST RECEIVED.

EX "DUNMAIL," Etc.

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Hongkong, June 11, 1868. FOR SALE Ex " MOBILE" and other late. Arrivals,

BARRELS Hamburg Prime Mess 100 barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK A well assorted Invoice of Hoth's Prime quality Russian ROPE, BOLTROPE, Seizing STUFF, HOUSELINE, MARLINE LOGLINES, Signal HALYARDS, SPUN YARN, dec. At

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868. STEAM COALS. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board, L'NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley.

Davisson's West Hartley, Straker West Hartley, WELSH-Blasngware Marthyr. Apply to ROB, S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

FOR SALE. HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and U. L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissi-CLARET, real Chateau Margaux.

Haut Bages. L. Espaire Duroc. BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases. BEER and PORTER in bottle. BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.

A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co

Hongkong, December 11, 1867. FOR SALE. Ex "BELTED WILL," "CHUSAN,"

do., do. DASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins, D. Barclay's STOUT in hogsheads. Bass's Al.E in buttle, quarts and pints. Guinness's STOUT in bottle, quarts and

Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY. Old Tom GIN. Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 upwards. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and Orange BITTERS. HAMS, OHEESE and OILMAN'S

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Kilderkins. Draught STOUT in half Hogsheads. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

PRICKLY HEAT.

the International Dispensary, 23, Wel- be had at once. Invoice price \$2,000. \$19 per case; in half-pts. 48 bottles each lington Street, nearly opposite the R. C. Hongkong, April 4, 1868.

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DASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Cur-

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Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68 FOR SALE. CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. -100 cases SHERRY, 100 , PORT,

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For Sale.

FOR SALE SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT A WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

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French Barque "MARIA MORTON."

FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to Superior CLARET, St. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz. RAYNAL & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

I ENDRIE, PIESSE & LUBIN'S Fine Assortment of PERFUMES. DAWSON & SUNS' BOUTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE,

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FOR SALE.

Insurances

No. 1602.—July 23, 18

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COME ROM and after this date the foll

Rates will be charged for Short Insurances:-Not exceeding one month, of the Annual Above one month and not exceeding 3 months,

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, Above 6 months,... TURNER &

Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURAN COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHAT \$1,000 KACH. \$100 per Share to be paid on Allotmer

\$100 sic months after Allotment NOTICE. A71TH reference to the following Intions passed at a Menting.

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Committee of the Hongkong Fr EURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. GENTLEMEN,-I request you to allot me Sh One Thousand Dollars each in the named Company, and I agree to accept Shares, or any less number which t allotted to me, and to pay a Call of Hundred Dollars per Share on allot and a further Call of One Hundred I per Share, six months after allotment, further undertake to subscribe to the

Resolutions referred to above That the General Managers and Co.

ing Committee are hereby authorize

adopt measures for the reconstructi

I remain, Gentlemen,

Your Obedient Serve

of Settlement when called on to do so

the Company as the Hougkong Fire I ance Company, Limited, on the basis pr ed in the Memorandum of the 2nd presented to this Meeting. That the General Managers and Con ing Committee are hereby requested cuive applications for Shares in the b kong Fire Iusurance Company, Lu and on the receipt of such application

the extent of One Thousand Shares t

an Extraordinary General Meeting

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company fd purpose of authorizing its dissolution the transfer of its assets and liability the new Company JARDINE, MATHESON & C General Managers

Hongkong Fire Insurance Compar N.B.—Forms of application for S may be had at the Office of the Com Queen's Road.

Hongkong, April 9, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. PROM and after this date the follo

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ceeding. months. Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual JARDINE, MATHESON & C lGeneral Manugers ----- Hongkong Fire Insurance Com Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short F Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding) I of the Annual R one mouth, Above 1 month

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MERCHANTS' MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPAN SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. THE Undersigned having been appo Agents in Hongkong and Chi

the above Company, are prepared to

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Policies at Current Rates.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appo . Agents of the above Corporation prepared to grant Fire and Marine ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE &

Hongkoug, December 26, 1867. NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURAN COMPANY. HE following Rates will be charge future for short period Insura

Not exceeding I month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. Above 8 months and not exceeding 6, # do. Above 6 months,..... the full annua HOLLIDAY, WISE & Agents. .

Hougkong, April 8, 1868.

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Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF

\$1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and

WITH reference to the following Reso-

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plications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire

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To the General Managers and Consulting

Committee of the Hongkong Fire In-

of application to be as follows:-

I request you to allot me

SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

One Thousand Dollars each in the above

named Company, and I agree to accept such

Shares, or any less number which may be

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Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment

and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars

per Share, six months after allotment, and

further undertake to subscribe to the Deed

I remain. Gentlemen

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE.

Your Obedient Servant.

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Rates will be charged for Short Period

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IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

Insurance, viz :-

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Contents.

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Dwelling Houses removed

from the Town, and their

Other Dwelling Houses used

strictly as such, and their

Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

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Hougkong, July 2, 1867.

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Years' standing.

Phoenix Assurance Company.

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SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

INSURANCE COMPANY,

23, 1868. operior Old PORT sandeman, Oporto. COGNAC. ngarian WINES PUSTAU & Co. B CHAMPAGNE. CK & MOSLELE RRY and PORT. ANDY. ght and bottle STOUT. TER. ALKER & Co. 20, 1867. LLING OFF!)FF ! : ! JFICES!! CAINS!!! AUSSEN they are Selling ne undermentioned , consisting of-CK and Walking alking, Shooting CHT JACKETS no COATS: PROUSERS. nen TROUSERS: ESTS. gola VESTS. ca VESTS: Linen VESTS. GOODS, comprisd CLOTHS and INS, ANGOLAS, ANNELS, of nt of HOSIERY pen FRONTS, &c. wool and Flannel DER VESTS. Lambswool N HOSE. ing GLOVES. TIES, Cholera NDKERCHIEF ud Felt HATS, and SHOES. g STICKS, Cloth ncy SOAPS. other GOODS. LAUSSEN, ND OTHERS IVER," from Cal-GUAVA JELLY DISPENSARY, FOR THE OPEN OICE COST. g Establishment rg, a small hand f Fancy and runron chests, &c.; ct. Delivery may

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OUZA & Co.

That the General Managers and Consult ing Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of Hongkong, March 9, 1866. the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis proposed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE presented to this Meeting. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby requested to reneurance, viz.-ceive applications for Shares in the Hong-Not exceeding one kong bire Insurance Company, Limited and on the receipt of such applications t Above I month, and the extent of Une Thousand Shares to cal not exceeding 3 an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Fire lusurance Company for the Above 3 months, and purpose of authorizing its dissolution and the transfer of its assets and liabilities to the new Company. Lboye 6 months. JARDINE, MATHESON-& Co., General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. N.B.—Forms of application for Shares may be had at the Office of the Company Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 9, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. PROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m'the and not exmonths. Above 6 m'this. The full Annual Rate JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, --- Hongkong Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY NOTICE. PROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period insurances, viz:-Not exceeding of the Annual Rate. Above 1 munth and not ex-

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Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

Policies at Current Rates.

ance on the usual Terms,

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate

Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

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COMPANY.

Above 0 months,..... the full annual rate.

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ILE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances.

Hougkouz, December 26, 1867.

Not exceeding 1 month, & per cent.

not exceeding 6, 4 do.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

Above 1 month and not

Above 3 months and

exceeding 3 months,

CORPORATION.

Agents of the above Corporation are

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

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JARDINE. MATHESON & Co.

will be deducted during a visit to or a per-GILMAN & Co. mament resident in Europe :-Agents, North British and Mercantil Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. WHE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co Hougkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON, CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING, HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Fulichau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-By Order of the Board JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary.

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Incorporated 1859

CAPITAL, -£1.000,000.

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

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Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate

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olicies at current rates.

Risks at current rates.

Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

or on Goods stored therein.

Insurances, Viz:

Above 1 month and

Above 3 months and

not exceeding 3, ...

Hongkong, AApril 7, 1868.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

insurances.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-

RATION.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE

COMPANY.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLION STEELING.

THE Undersigned having been appointed.

Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against

Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

NOTICE.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

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NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Cd.,

Agents the Queen Insurance Company

GILMAN & Co.,

Agents North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company.

of the annual rate.

the full Annual rate.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

f per cent.

exceeding 3 months, 1 do.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Detached and semi-detached

Dwelling-Houses removed

from Town, and their Con-

Other Dwelling-Houses used

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c

Contents,

strictly as such, and their

THE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances,

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

One month.

Three months.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Above I month and not

Above 8 months and

not exceeding 6,

HE following rates will in future be

charged for Short Period Insurances:

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

5 17 Intermediate ages charged propor-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864, LIFE ASSURANCE. PHE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALLER & Co. Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865. NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding One } 1 per cent. and not exceeding OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months.

Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre-ROB. S. WALKER & Co., pared to accept Marine risks and issue Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868 REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have (as already inti-HE Undersigned having been appointed mated in their Circular dated 14th Oc-Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine tober last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRTVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS. therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed

HE Undersigned having been appointed from the Town, the rate of Premium will Agents for the above Company at this be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One Port, are prepared to grant Policies against | per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, and in cases of Residences, so situated, heing detached or nemi-detached, the rate wi be further reduced to One-half per Cent. tf The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached, Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their

> per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. 11 per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company, Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

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NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extend-REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-I INTIL further notice the following An-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to U nual Rates will be charged for Fire issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. 1 per cent. SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA ESTABLISHED 1834. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

Subscribed Capital, 2500,000.

Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000. HE Undersigned are empowered to accept Life Assurances in the above BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY Society. Full particulars given on appli FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1868.

'HE Undersigned having been appointe AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE Agents for the above Companies are HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSUKANCE prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual A T the request of the Undersigned, Messra GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPORE, CALOUTTA, BOMBAY, Or LONDON, have taken temporary charge of the follow-ROB, S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

ANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL

per cent has been declared on the Ne Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866. Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.

Hongkong, September 7, 1867. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL Policies can be made payable in London, thought and work in this land ought to Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. year at the close of each current year, tifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each po-

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF

SAN FRANCISCO. Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO. Agents in China for the above Insur-ANOE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCI THE Undersigned having been appointed named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. THE Undersigned are prepared to gran Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE.

ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period nsurances, viz:--Not exceeding of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month

and not exceeding three months. Above 3 m'tha and not exceeding

Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR ANOE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1886.

SAMARAN I SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

Company are prepared to grant Policies Manao, August 4, 1866.

Insurances.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messes AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY.

PHE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

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(Fouchow Advertiser, May 4, 1867.) especially to congratulate themselves on the Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Recorder, the various divisions of mental New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, well taken care of ; for our part we are glad to see these several issues, both on account In addition to the usual brokerage this of the information and instruction they Association returns to the assured of each afford, and the index they supply to the mental vigour of the foreign community in

(Foochow Missionary Recorder, April, 1867 The two first numbers of Notes & Queries on China and Japan have been placed on our table. The magazine is every way creditable to its editor and publishers, we cannot but wish them the utmost cess in their efforts to fill an important and HE Undersigned, agents for the above hitherto noccupied place in Eastern liter-

(Singapore Free Press, Mar. 2, 1867. We have received the first number not neat little pamphlet of eight pages entitled " Notes and Queries on China and Japan. containing some able and interesting historical parers on China, together with HE Undersigned having been appointed notes and numerous queries for future con tributors to answer, and states that the number of its pages will depend upon th number and length of its contributions The work will be received with eagerner by literary men, as throwing light upon the ancient traditions of China, with re searches into the laws of the various provinces, and the custom of the people. San Francisco News Letter, Mar. 23, 1867.

(Shanghai Recorder, May 17, 1867.) fully edited by Mr N. B. Dennya, and is the time employed. published at the low price of \$4 per annum; and having said this, we trust that " Notes and Queries on China and Japan" will meet with that success which so creditable a production deserves at the hands of those in terested in Asiatic researches.

Report of North China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. March 1867.

Two periodicals which are likely to be of great service have also been commenced one is published at Foodhow and is called "The Missionary Recorder," and the other emanates from Hongkong and is called "Notes & Queries." It is intended to serve as a medium of intercommunication for per sons interested in Chinese Philology, Geography or History. These indications of literary activity are perhaps the most import. ant "sign of the times" has been our province to record, for they are all means to facilitate that mutual understanding one of the other, which seems so hard to establish between Europe and China.

(Hankow Times, Mar. 1867.) We insert this week, apropos of some piquant correspondence which has appeared of the late in our columns, an extract from the new publication, "Notes and Queries THE Undersigned having been appointed bours of Mr Secretary Wade, making rapid n China and also those in Japan are Agents in Macao for the above named advance in the acquirement of the languages carefully described, and almost all par-

Miscellaneous.

THE TREATY PORTS OF

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Opinions of the Press.

From the Englishman (Calcutta) of June 8:-"The celebrated volumes of the French Abbé Huo on China, and Sir Rutherford Alcock's account of Japan are, no doubt, works of a far higher class and more extensive scope than the one now before us; but for practical utility. for all purposes of locomotion, trading and residence in any of the places coming within its compass, The Treaty Ports of China and Japan, by Messre Mayers, Dennys and We have received a copy of 'Notes and King, far surpasses them. It is difficult to Queries : " this publication will be really know under what class of books to place it, useful, it contains much matter relating to for it contains a mixture of history, topo-China which otherwise would be lost, and graphy, hygiene, Murray's Hand-book and we wish it every success. Linologues, Chi Bradshaw's Guide, -all as complete and ness antiquaries and scientific men ought excellent in their own line as could be expected; and though, perhaps, the book will appearance of "Notes and Queries,' as it not prove attractive to students, it is calwill form their medium of communication culated to give a more intimate knowledge and bring into notice what otherwise might of the towns it describes, aided by the exhave lain unknown and buried in themselves. cellent maps which accompany it the HE Undersigned having been appointed Now that Law and Officialism have got work entirely of Chinese—than any of the Secretaries and Agents of this Associ- their Gazette, Science and Philology their more elaborated works that have preceded ation, are prepared to issue Policies upon Notes and Queries, and Missionaries their * * * We trust we have said enough a show that for my one about to visit, or reside in either of the countries described, this work contains not only most valuable information, but many useful hints. (N. C. Daily News, May 16.)

A very interesting book has lately been nublished, entitled "The Treaty Ports of China and Japan," to which it forms a complete guide, and regarding the history of which it gives interesting partioulars. Maps of the various localities described are inserted, and an appendix shews the existing means of transport between Europe and America and these two countries. A work of the kind was much needed, to place within reach of the general public information regarding the districts in which they reside that had hitherto been concealed under the mysterious hieroglyphics of the Chinese language, or at best open only to sinologues. The modest hope expressed by the authors, that much will e found in the present book that is new and unknown to the general reader, is, we think, fully justified. * * * " Hongkong and Canton, for example, each occupy more than 100 pages, comprising every conceivable particular regarding them, from their history native and foreign, to particulars of the geological formation and botanical wealth of the neighbourhood, * * * Not the least interesting feature in the book under review, is the insight it affords us into the character of the population in dif We have received the first number, which | ferent parts of this vast empire. * * * One Agents in Hongkong for the above is full of curious, out-of-the-way, and inte- of the most interesting chapters is devoted to a sketch of the history and topographical features of Formosa. The vicissitudes of We are put in possession of the fourth its history, the peculiarities of its inhabitnumber of "Notes and Queries on China ants, and the reputed mineral wealth of its and Japan," In saying that the present hillsaffordample subject for research; and, to number equals in interest and importance a person of Mr Swinhoe's tastes, must have its predecessors, we have already said, offered powerful attractions. From his great deal in its favour. Our knowledge "Notes on Formosa" are derived many of these countries has hitherto been so of the particulars given in the work under scattered, so ill-arranged, entombed as it review. * * Interesting descriptions were, in a series of works, in different lan- of the fauna and flora of the island are guages, and spreading in point of time, over given, for details of which we refer our last two centuries, that some means readers to the book itself. We have, we of separating what is really new, from what | believe, said enough to show the scope and has possibly been over and over again des- character of the work; and must take cribed is much to be desired * * * leave of it for the present, though with the As a medium of intercommunication on intention of completing our sketch of the these and many other subjects of interest information it gives regarding the various to those connected with the far East, we treaty ports, on a future occasion. In the must hail the appearance of . Notes and meantime, we can assure our readers that Queries." * * * We need only add that | no one who takes the trouble to gain a the periodical is of convenient size, is care- more intimate knowledge of it, will regret

(Singapore Free Press, May 9. We referred briefly, several days ago, to a new work published by Messrs. A. Shortrede & Co., of Hongkong, entitled "The Treaty Ports of China and Japan." But it would be utterly impossible, in a condensed notice of such a work, to give an adequate idea of its contents. The historical events of interest since the foundation of the settlement of Hongkong, are perhaps too much condensed into a general summary; but the most important feature in the composition of the society of the present colony, is detailed at greater length. When we come to consider that the book before us makes no pretensions to be a history, but merely a guide book, we cannot hesitate to pronounce it at once the most complete work of its kind ever issued. The Appendix may be termed the China Bradshaw, and the text teems with interesting papers, historical, botanical, and descriptive. The maps and plans are useful illustrations of the geographical position of the treaty ports, and a valuable assistance both to travellers and residents.

Shanghar Recorder May 7, and Supreme Court and Consular Gazette, May 11, 1867. A very useful book has just been issued on China and Japan," on the subject of in-fanticide, which we particularly recom-title of the "Guide Book and Vade-mecum mend to the notice of our contributors as to the Treaty Ports of China and Japan," containing some reliable facts in con-Agents in Hongkong for the above nection with the vexed question. * * * The Book is very conveniently got up; is such a work as the "Notes" is pecu-interspersed with maps of the various tresliarly adapted for bringing to light value ty ports, and contains, besides much useful able information in respect to this councilocal information, historical sketches of try, and its people, language, and in much interest. Our readers will feel naturally interested in what is said concernly supported as it deserves by the nume- ing Shanghai; and a good idea of the hisrous rising and energetic men, who are now, tory of this place is conveyed in Mr thanks principally to the philological la- Dennys' work. * * The other ports

to say nothing of the devoted missionaries biculars which can be required by the Company are prepared to grant Policies who have already grown grey in their ser-covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. who have already grown grey in their ser-vice to the cause to which they have given this work, which may be justly regarded as the "Murray" for China.

Miscellaneous. THE CHINESE COMMERCIAL GUIDEL

By S. WELLS WILLIAMS, L.L.D.
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The author in his Preface says:—"The

tables in Chap. VII., for estimating prices, measurement of goods, exchanges, &c. have been selected from those constantly in use among the foreign merchants in China. Those for calculating the prices of tea in dollars or pence have been copied from the more extended tables, by the kind permission of the author, P. Loureiro, Esq. The last section of the same chapter, on 'Movements in Bullion,' has been prepared and furnished for the Guide by Patrick R. Harper, Esq., of the Commercial Bank of India at Hongkong, who has had much experience in the exchanges and movements of the precious metals in Eastern Asia.

perience in the exchanges and movements of the precious metals in Eastern Asia.

"The Appendix of Sailing Directions has been reprinted from the China Pilot."

With short interruptions, the coasts from Singapore to Hakodadi are all described in t; and for the Chinese coasts, the Directions have been improved by the insertion of the Chinese characters for the names of all places that could be ascertained."

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	Parejero*	Br. bk.	Gifford & Co	
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HAMBURG	M. L. Ant.*	Du. bk.	Order	1.5
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Do.	Dunmail*	Br. sh.	Thomas & Mercer	4
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Algerine,	British	gun-boat	3	299	C. E. Domville, Lieut.
Bouncer	British	gun-boat	3	230	Harding, Lieut.
Cockchafer	British	gun boat	_	230	Kerr,
Drake	British	gun-boat	3		C. Crowdy, Lieut.
Flamer	British	naval hospital	_		Attached to Melville
Gosland	French	steamer	-4	500	Boudrez Riviere, Comr.
Melville	British	naval hospital	-		R. Bernard, D.M.I.G. do.
Pearl	British	sc. corvettu	21	1469	John Fras Ross, Captain
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14		Commodors Oliver Jones
Serpent	British	gun-ressel	4	695	C. J. Bulluck, Comr.
Sui-tsing	Chinese	gun-boat	5	180	Stewart
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Thim-po	Chinese	guų-boat	6		Longueville
Ching-hoi* Chun-hoi	Chinese	gun-boat gun-boat	:4	*****	Folsom Marcy
Fee-loong ,	Chinese	gun-boat	5	*****	Edwards

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Dragon	Do.	200		P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	117.	Stephenson	H. & W. Dook Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	380		H., C. and M. Steam-hoat C. pany
Kin Shan	Do.	456		H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang*	Do.	617	Banning	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69		Acheong
Little Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug.
Poyang	Do.	379	Laid up	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Prince Albert	Do.			Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101	Godsill	Q. Acheong
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	. 280	Carroll	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany

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Vessel.	At	Flag & Rig	Tons.	Captain:	Owners.
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July 24, Mary Goodall, Amer. ship,

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All friends of the missionary work a invited to assemble to join in prayer for the blessing of God on the preaching of the gospel to the heathen of this Colony.

Hongkong, July 25, 1868.